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STATE PASS TO AMB BROWN IATF

THIS IS A PROJECT NEWLIFE DEAG AND SENIOR CIVIL COORDINATOR

SITREP NO. 13

1. GENERAL. OFFICE OF CIVIL COORDINATOR (CC) PERSONNEL CONTINUED TO ASSIST MILITARY CAMP COMMANDERS AND VOLUNTARY AGENCIES TO CARRY OUT THEIR MISSIONS IN THE VARIOUS REFUGEE CAMPS. CC ADVISORS WERE INSTRUMENTAL IN OBTAINING A DESIGNATED AREA, WITH A CAPACITY FOR 300 REFUGEES, AT OROTE POINT FOR USE BY THE CANADIAN IMMIGRATION SERVICE TEAM PROCESSING APPLICANTS FOR ADMISSION TO CANADA.

OTHER CC ADVISORS ARE ASSISTING THE AUSTRALIAN MIGRATION SERVICE TEAM AS WELL AS THE CANADIAN IMMIGRATION SERVICE OFFICE. AT THE PRESENT TIME, THE AUSTRALIANS ARE PROCESSING APPLICANTS AT THE J & G CONSTRUCTION CAMPSITE. THE PROCESSING IN THE INITIAL STAGE IS LIMITED TO THOSE PERSONS WITH BLOOD RELATIVES ALREADY IN AUSTRALIA. TO DATE, THE AUSTRALIAN MIGRATION TEAM HAS NOT RECEIVED GOA'S FINAL INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING THE TOTAL NUMBER OF REFUGEES TO BE ADMITTED TO CANADA DESPITE THE FACT THAT PRESS REPORTS HAVE GIVEN THE NUMBER AS 1,500. THE CANADIAN IMMIGRATION

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TEAM HAS SET UP X-RAY AND OTHER MEDICAL EQUIPMENT, AND ALL

PROCESSING AT THEIR DESIGNATED SITE IS PROCEEDING WITHOUT MAJOR PROBLEMS.

CC PERSONNEL HAVE BEEN MOST ACTIVE IN ASSISTING CAMP COMMANDERS TO REUNITE SPLIT FAMILIES, AND THE RENTAL BUS CONTRACTED FOR BY THE OFFICE OF THE SENIOR CIVIL COORDINATOR IS A POPULAR AND EFFICIENT AID TO THE CAMP COMMANDERS IN THE FAMILY REUNIFICATION PROGRAM.

CC WATCH OFFICERS CONTINUED TO MAN ALL THREE RECEPTION AREAS AND ARE PREPARED TO PROVIDE MAXIMUM ASSISTANCE AT THE SIERRA DOCKSIDE AS SHIPS BEGIN TO ARRIVE IN THE EARLY MORNING HOURS OF MONDAY, MAY 12.

PERSONNEL CHANGES - ARRIVALS DURING PAST WEEK: CHARLES CURRIER (STATE), CARY KASSENBAUM (AID), ROBERT GILSON (AID), JOHN HOGAN (USIS), KENNETH JACKSON (USIS). DEPARTURES: ROBERT GARRITY (USIS), LAWRENCE THOMAS (USIS), CHARLES BRADY (AID), ED TOLLE (AID), KEITH BYERGO (AID), AND COL HARRY T. JOHNSON.

2. HEALTH AND SANITATION. REFER TO OPERATIONS NEWLIFE SITREPS 36 & 37.

3. PUBLIC AFFAIRS. NO SIGNIFICANT ITEMS.

4. INS. AS OF 1900 HOURS ON MAY 10, INS HAD PROCESSED 3,846 REFUGEES FOR THAT DAY. OF THIS TOTAL, 3843 WERE ALIENS AND THREE WERE U.S. CITIZENS. OF THE 3,843 ALIENS PROCESSED, 41 WERE IN CATEGORY I, 2,146 IN CATEGORY II AND 1,656 IN CATEGORY V. TO DATE, INS HAS PROCESSED 64,868 REFUGEES ON GUAM.

5. VOLAGS.

A. MR. DOMINIQUE GROSS, ICRC DELEGATE, HAS ESTABLISHED HEADQUARTERS AT THE J & G CONSTRUCTION CO. CAMP WHERE ICEM HAS ALREADY ESTABLISHED ITS OFFICE TO PROCESS REFUGEES APPLYING FOR ENTRY TO THIRD COUNTRIES. THE AMERICAN RED CROSS REPRESENTATIVES EFFECTED THE EXCHANGE OF TEN ABANDONED VIETNAMESE CHILDREN FROM AMERICAN RED CROSS CUSTODY TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT, GOVERNMENT OF GUAM. THE CHILDREN WERE TRANSPORTED FROM OROTE POINT TO THE APPROVED FOSTER PARENTS.

B. RED CROSS SERVICES AT ALL REFUGEE CAMPS CONTINUED AND INCLUDE PAID AND VOLUNTEER STAFF COVERAGE, PICKUP OF MAIL, INQUIRY AND LOCATOR SERVICES, REUNIFICATION OF FAMILIES SERVICES, PROVISION OF CLOTHING AND HEALTH SUPPLIES AND RECREATION EQUIPMENT. THE TOKYU HOTEL AND BARRIGADA CAMPSITES ARE STAFFED WITH FOUR RED CROSS VOLUNTEERS ON SIX HOUR SHIFTS AROUND THE CLOCK.

REFUGEE MAIL EXCHANGED TO DATE: 9,901 OUTGOING PIECES.  
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REFUGEE COMMUNICATIONS PROCESSED TO DATE: 4,082 OUTGOING MESSAGES.

C. ICEM/IRC/CRS/UNHCR. 180 PERSONS HAVE BEEN PROCESSED AND SCHEDULED FOR DEPARTURE TO CANADA ON 12 MAY VIA TRANS AIR CHARTER FLIGHT. 41 ADDITIONAL REFUGEES WERE REGISTERED TODAY BY ICEM FOR CONSIDERATION BY THIRD COUNTRY, MAINLY CANADA. AT THE REQUEST OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE UNHCR, 47 REFUGEES WHO WISH TO BE REPATRIATED TO SOUTH VIETNAM WERE INTERVIEWED BY ICEM REPRESENTATIVES

UNHCR NOW HAS RECEIVED AUTHORITY FROM GENEVA TO INTERVIEW ALL PERSONS WHO WISH TO REPATRIATE. A STATEMENT OF VOLUNTARY REPATRIATION IS TO BE OBTAINED FROM THOSE DESIRING TO SUBMIT SAME, AND THE STATEMENTS ARE TO BE FORWARDED TO GENEVA HEADQUARTERS, WHICH WILL ATTEMPT TO SUBMIT THE LIST TO AUTHORITIES IN THE COUNTRY OF ORIGIN.

6. SUMMARY OF CURRENT CAMP POPULATION/DEPARTURE/PROCESSING DATA:

A. GUAM

- (1) CURRENT CAMP POPULATION: 36,738 (EST)
- (2) NUMBER REFUGEES DEPARTED LAST 24 HOURS: 5,583
- (3) NUMBER INS PROCESSED LAST 24 HOURS: 3,846
- (4) NUMBER INS PROCESSED AWAITING MOVEMENT FROM GUAM: 25,593

B. WAKE

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